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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1920

A. Ira Davis was a business visitor here from Emerson Monday.

There will be a regular meeting of Omaha lodge No. 5, A. F. & A. M., on Saturday evening of this week, November 20th.

Andrew J. Viele, of Norfolk, Neb., was a visitor here between trains on Tuesday, and was a guest in the H. J. Adair home.

Teachers' examination in county and state certificate subjects will be held by County Supt. W. E. Voss on Saturday, November 20, 1920.

The man who is smart enough to invent perpetual motion is the only geek with brains enough to get rich while he spends more than his business takes in.

Mrs. J. H. Carr, who had been visiting here in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. K. Young, since the latter part of August, returned to her home at Ames, Iowa, Saturday.

Don Forbes returned last Friday from a week's duck shooting in Holt county in company with Dr. Rowley of Sioux City. He reports the shooting fair, but not as good as in former years.

The M. E. Ladies Aid society will meet Friday afternoon of this week with Mrs. Al Ramsey. Roll call—Harvest. Anyone wishing a way to go from town to the Ramsey home will please call Mrs. W. H. Berger.

Sheriff George Cain located another distillery running full blast in South Sioux City Monday, on the premises of Charles Bruno, an Italian, in the east part of town. It was housed in a cave, about 10x20, and contained a complete distilling outfit. The cave was bricked up, arched over with a skylight in the top, and contained a pump and a drain system built in the floor of the cave. A big copper boiler and two copper worms, ten barrels of mash and about twenty gallons of "lieker" were confiscated. Bruno was taken before Judge McKinley on Tuesday and was assessed \$200 and costs for violating the liquor laws.

Mrs. Walter Twamley, of Platte, S. D. died in a Sioux City hospital on Monday, where she had been for several months for treatment. She was the eldest daughter of Mrs. Susan Rockwell of South Sioux City, and was born and grew to womanhood on a farm near Hubbard. Her husband, mother, two brothers and a sister survive her, her father, R. D. Rockwell, having preceded her in death several years ago. Funeral services were held Wednesday from the M. E. church at Homer. The Order of Eastern Star, of which she was a member, gave the ritualistic service at the grave. Burial was in the Grove cemetery, west of Homer.

When it was given out by the Northwestern railway authorities last week that their depot in this place would be locked up in the afternoon at 4:30, with two passenger trains yet to arrive, and thus compel the traveling public to wait outside in all kinds of weather, a protest was immediately filed with the state railway commission by patrons of the road. This brought the superintendent of the road to Dakota City Tuesday and the matter was adjusted by his ordering the agent, B. C. Buchanan, to remain at the depot until 3 p. m., and from that time on until the last passenger train arrives the depot waiting room will be open and a fire kept for the accommodation of the public. Chas. Sund, mail messenger between the postoffice and depot, will carry a key and will lock the depot for the night after the last mail train arrives. The matter of releasing the agent at an early hour by the company was done to save the extra over time allowed the agent after working the regulation 8 hours.

Henry Morten, a civil war veteran, and a resident of northeastern Nebraska since 1858, dropped dead on the doorstep of the home of his daughter, Mrs. Oscar Olson, 1621 Summit avenue, Sioux City, at 8:30 o'clock last Thursday morning, November 11, as he was returning from a grocery store. Mr. Morten had been in unusually good health and was making plans to depart soon for California to spend the winter. Deceased was born in Derbyshire, England, in 1844, and came to America with his parents in 1848, settling in Madison, Wis. In 1858 he removed to Nebraska in company with the late Ralph Goodwin, a cousin, and located in Cedar county, where he resided until 1871, when he moved to Vermillion, S. D. In 1917, he moved to Sioux City to make his home. He enlisted in Co. I, Nebraska Cavalry during the Civil war, when it took about all the able-bodied men in Dakota and Cedar counties to recruit a company of soldiers. Besides the widow, Mr. Morten is survived by a brother, Joseph Morten, of Hartington, Neb.; a sister, Mrs. Donald McLeod, of Vermillion, S. D.; and five children, Fred J. Morten, Long Beach, Cal.; Harry B. Morten, Hartington, Neb.; Dr. C. A. Morten, of Laurel, Neb.; Mrs. Paul Wendt, Akron, Iowa, and Mrs. Olson, of Sioux City.

Being the head of the Miners Union is not such a rotten job. President John Mitchell recently died leaving an estate of nearly half a million dollars.

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George Wilkins, deputy internal collector, was here Monday on business connected with his office. He expects to get located with his family in Emerson this week, provided he can get possession of the house he has had rented for several months.

County Judge S. W. McKinley tied the nuptial knot for the following couples during the past week: Henry Krogmann and Minnie Boutan, both of LeMars, Iowa, on the 12th; George C. Troy and Ananias Stieneke, both of Sioux City, on the 13th; Dan Miller and Osa Blair, both of Sioux City, on the 15th.

George Curry, a renter on the Wm. Graves farm on Honey creek, in the northeastern part of Thurston county, was arrested last week charged with operating a "still." A party from Sioux City was also mixed up in the deal, and was also arrested. The accused were taken to Pender for a hearing. It was reported that the "still" was found in Blyburg, but the people of Blyburg resent the statement, and declare they have no use for such an institution in their lungs.

MRS. S. A. DRAISE CALLED TO HER ETERNAL REST

Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock Mrs. S. A. Draise, wife of Rev. S. A. Draise, pastor of the Dakota City M. E. church, passed to that other world, surrounded by loving relatives and friends. She had been a patient sufferer for about four years with cancer, and all that willing hand and medical skill could do to alleviate her suffering had been done, but without avail.

Charlotte Emeline Butler was born in Shendagan, N. Y., October 11, 1863. She came with her parents, when a mere child, to Nebraska, locating in Cedar county, where the family resided for about forty-five years.

She finished in the high school at her home, and later attended the state university at Vermillion, S. D. She was married to Rev. S. A. Draise on Thanksgiving day, November 29, 1900. One child was born to them, which died in infancy.

Her christian life was a devoted one to God and her fellow creatures. She had been active in church work all her life, mostly with the M. E. church. She will be greatly missed in the church work here, and especially in the Sunday school work, in which she took an active interest.

She came to Dakota City with her husband two years ago, when he was appointed to the Dakota City charge, and in this short time has endeared herself to all who came to know her. She leaves besides her husband, to mourn her departure, her father, A. C. Butler, of Ponca, Neb., age 88 years; two brothers, O. A. and O. E. Butler, also of Ponca; two sisters, Mrs. Irvin Catlin, of Winnet, Mont., and Miss Ella Butler of Dakota City.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10:30, from the M. E. church. Rev. E. M. Furman of University Place, district superintendent of the Norfolk district, will conduct the services. Burial will be made in the family lot in the cemetery at Wynot, Neb.

Strayed Away.

Strayed away from my premises, 1 red bull calf. FRANK UFFING, Hubbard, Neb.

Farmers Getting More for Eggs Statistics published by the United States Department of Agriculture show that egg prices received by farmers increased 34.3 cents a dozen from January 1910, to January, 1920. In January, 1910, eggs sold for 30.5 cents a dozen, and in January of this year for 64.8 cents. Prices received by farmers began to ascend in 1916, when they were 2.4 cents a dozen higher than in 1915. In 1917 they were 9.7 cents higher than in 1916, and the following two years they ascended an average of more than 4 cents a dozen each season. Some Nebraska selected white eggs have been marketed in New York this year for more than \$1 a dozen.

For Sale

Some good Duroc Jersey boys. FRANK UFFING, Hubbard, Neb.

The Country Boy's Creed

I believe that the country which God made is more beautiful than the City which man made; that life out of doors and in touch with the earth is the natural life of man. I believe that work is work wherever I find it, but that work with Nature is more inspiring than work with the most intricate machinery. I believe that the dignity of labor depends not on what you do, but how you do it; that opportunity comes to a boy on the farm as often as to a boy in the city; that life is larger and freer and happier on the farm than in town; that my success depends not upon my location, but upon myself—not upon my dreams, but upon what I actually do—not upon luck but upon pluck. I believe in working when you work, and in playing when you play, and in giving and demanding a square deal in every act of life.—Edwin Osgood Grover.

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Boys' and Girls' Clubs Contest Achievements

Last Saturday, November 13, was the crowning day for Boys' and Girls' clubs in Dakota county. This was characterized at Homer by an achievement day program for all the county clubs. These were made up of one sewing club with nine members, a cooking club with 18, two pig clubs with 16 and three heater clubs with 21, a total of 64 members.

The program consisted of club songs, talks by Miss Jennie Green of the State Junior Club department, and Prof. E. N. Swett, superintendent of the Homer schools. Miss Mabel Thacker, leader for the Homer cooking club; Miss Mabel Rasmussen, leader for the Sunshine Sewing club; C. C. Boermann, leader for the Standard Shorthorn club; O. L. Legg, leader for the Ideal Hampshire Pig club, and Victor Hansen, leader for the Green Valley Pig club, made talks, telling of their club activities.

Fifty-four dollars, most of which was raised by subscriptions, was divided into prizes for entries and demonstrations. The number of entries in all classes were good and the quality of a high standard.

The awards were made by Miss Green, for the girls' exhibit as follows: Oatmeal cookies, 1st, Mayme Miller; 2nd, Rosa Runge. Loaf cake with frosting, 1st, Valda Rockwell; 2nd, Mayme Miller; 3rd, Esther Thacker. Muffins, 1st, Alice Runge; 2nd, Esther Thacker; 3rd, Mayme Miller. Baking powder biscuits, 1st, Alice Runge; 2nd, Valda Rockwell; 3rd, Rosa Runge. Nut bread, 1st, Esther Thacker, 2nd, Rosie Runge; 3rd, Alice Runge. For the best collection of any three articles of baking, 1st, Alice Runge; Esther Thacker and Mayme Miller tied for 2nd and 3rd places.

For the sewing club, 1st went to Katherine Rasmussen; second to Mary Lauritzen and 3rd to Katharine Daley on the sewing bag. Hemstitching, 1st, Mary Lauritzen; 2nd, Katharine Daley; 3rd, Loraine Hale, Patching, 1st, Katharine Daley. Apron, 1st, Mary Lauritzen; 2nd, Katharine Daley; 3rd, Katherine Rasmussen. Cap, 1st, Mary Lauritzen; 2nd, Katherine Rasmussen; 3rd, Katharine Daley. Best collection of any three articles, 1st, Mary Lauritzen; 2nd, Katharine Daley; 3rd, Katherine Rasmussen.

O. L. Legg, a Hampshire breeder, living near Dakota City, placed the pig classes. In the fat pigs class Anna Daley of Jackson, won first place; Francis Rasmussen of Hubbard, second, and Olaf Lauritzen of Homer, third. In the class of purebred Hampshire gilts, Ora Beermann of Hubbard, second; Horace Graham of Dakota City, third; George Berger of Dakota City, fourth, and Loy Beermann of Dakota City, fifth.

As some of the clubs had already conducted public demonstrations, but three were held at this meeting. Francis and Albert Rasmussen, representing the Green Valley Pig club, won first, demonstrating the merits of the community and individual hog houses. Earnest Sierk and Charles Beerman, of the Standard Shorthorn club, showed the points to observe in selecting beef animals and the location of the various cuts of beef, calling attention to relative value of each. These boys won second place. Third place went to George Berger and Walter Graham who showed the points to observe in selecting Hampshire pigs and how to fit them for exhibit. The subject matter and presentation of all these demonstrations was so good that the judges had some trouble in picking the winners.

All of the pigs were weighed at this meeting. In the fat pig class, Olaf and Chris Lauritzen made the best gains. Olaf's pig weighed 55 pounds at the start and gained 332 pounds during the 136 days' feeding period, or 1.71 pounds per day. Chris' pig weighed 50 pounds at the start and gained 297 pounds during the same period, or 1.52 pounds daily. In the Hampshire class, Ben and Glenn Allen fed their pigs 136 days each and made the high gains for the Hampshires. Ben's pig weighed 65 pounds at the opening of the contest and gained 209 pounds, while Glenn's 65-pound pig gained 163 pounds. Ben's pig gained 1.45 pounds daily, and Glenn's 1.34.

All of these clubs have charters. All but one will finish as standard clubs, and at least two will finish as 100 per cent clubs.

Especially when we consider that our achievement day was cold and the roads were rough, our crowd was large. Every one present seemed to feel that club work with these young people, who will be the men and women of tomorrow, pays. All of us agreed that they were favored with advantages that were not ours at their ages. When the season will have closed, besides the experience and the profits from the sale of the live stock, these club members will have received \$609 in prize money. This comes from individuals, breed and fair associations and banks. Besides the cash prizes they will have at least two free trips to the Junior week at Lincoln next spring.

C. R. YOUNG, County Agricultural Agent.

Dairying Should be Profitable Food prices down 50 per cent or more and butterfat prices still high should mean that men who are now milking cows or who get into the dairy business soon will make money, say College of Agriculture extension specialists. Corn and alfalfa have made decided drops in price, while butter is still retailing for 60 cents a pound in the cities. Hence the best way to market these two feeds would appear to be, through stock, especially milk cows. A few good milk cows, with feed as cheap as it now is, insures an income and should mean a good profit.

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